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Dear Ms. Gibbons:

**Re: Niagara Reinforcement Limited Partnership (NRLP)  
Application for 2020-2024 Transmission Revenue Cap Incentive Rate-Setting  
Application  
Ontario Energy Board File Number: EB-2018-0275**

The OEB's Decision and Order on NRLP's Application for 2020-2024 transmission rates required NRLP to file with the OEB and forward to OEB staff a draft Revenue Requirement and Charge Determinant Order (DRO) and supporting schedules no later than April 23, 2020. As part of its DRO filing, NRLP was required to include a detailed calculation of foregone revenue for the period January 1, 2020 to June 30, 2020.<sup>1</sup>

NRLP filed its DRO on April 23, 2020, in accordance with the Decision and Order. With respect to the requirement that the DRO include a detailed calculation of foregone revenue for the period January 1, 2020 to June 30, 2020, NRLP stated that this calculation could only be provided once Hydro One Networks Inc.'s (Hydro One's) 2020 load forecast was approved as part of the OEB's decision in Hydro One's application for electricity transmission revenue requirements beginning January 1, 2020 until December 31, 2022 (EB-2019-0082).<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Decision and Order, EB-2018-0275, p. 10

<sup>2</sup> Draft Revenue Requirement and Charge Determinant Order, p. 2

On April 23, 2020, the OEB issued its decision in the EB-2019-0082 proceeding approving, among other things, Hydro One's 2020 load forecast.<sup>3</sup> The OEB therefore requires NRLP to review the decision in the EB-2019-0082 proceeding and file an update to its DRO that includes a detailed calculation of foregone revenue for the period January 1, 2020 to June 30, 2020.

Accordingly, by way of this letter, the OEB is extending certain due dates in its Decision and Order on NRLP's Application for 2020-2024 transmission rates as follows:<sup>4</sup>

3. NRLP shall file with the OEB and forward to OEB staff a Draft Revenue Requirement and Charge Determinant Order and supporting schedules that reflect the OEB's findings in this Decision and Order, no later than **May 8, 2020**. NRLP shall also include customer bill impacts, detailed information in support of the calculation of the final revenue requirement, and a detailed calculation of foregone revenue for the period January 1, 2020 to June 30, 2020 in the Draft Revenue Requirement and Charge Determinant Order.
4. OEB staff may file any comments on the Draft Revenue Requirement and Charge Determinant Order and supporting schedules with the OEB, and forward them to NRLP, no later than **May 15, 2020**.
5. NRLP shall file with the OEB and forward to OEB staff, responses to any comments on its Draft Revenue Requirement and Charge Determinant Order and supporting schedules no later than **May 22, 2020**.

Any questions relating to this letter should be directed to Andrew Bishop at [Andrew.Bishop@oeb.ca](mailto:Andrew.Bishop@oeb.ca) or at 416-440-8108.

**DATED** at Toronto April 27, 2020

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*Original Signed By*

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<sup>3</sup> Decision and Order on EB-2019-0082, p. 153.

<sup>4</sup> Decision and Order on EB-2018-0275, p. 10